

**Howard County Police Department
Office of Public Affairs
Daily Crime Bulletin
Wednesday, December 18, 2019**

Home invasion

Columbia, 21046: 7100 block of Brandywine Way, Dec. 17 4:08 p.m.

A resident reported that she observed a male suspect attempting to open the rear sliding glass door. When the suspect observed the resident, he displayed a handgun and demanded the door be opened. The resident activated her alarm and the suspect, along with another male suspect, fled. No entry was gained. The investigation is ongoing.

SUSPECTS: two black males, one in his 20s, 5'7"-6'0" with a thin build wearing a gray jacket, black pants, and a black baseball cap, the other 5'7"-6'0" wearing a white and black winter coat, no further description

Robbery

Columbia, 21046: 7200 block of Eden Brook Drive, Dec. 17 1:51 p.m.

A teenage male victim reported that he was approached by two male suspects, one of whom displayed a knife. The suspects assaulted the victim and stole his cell phone and earbuds before fleeing. No one was injured. Police responded, located the suspects, and arrested them after a short foot pursuit.

ARRESTED: Ilyas McKoy, 19, of Brocks Way in Ellicott City, and Jakub Berrios, 17, of Beech Avenue in Baltimore, charged with armed robbery, assault, and theft. Berrios is charged as an adult.

Savage, 20763: U.S. Post Office, 8900 block of Baltimore Street, Dec. 17 5:07 p.m.

An employee reported that a male suspect with his face partially covered entered the post office, approached the counter, displayed a handgun and demanded money orders. The employee complied and the victim fled. No one was injured. The investigation is ongoing.

SUSPECT: black male in his 20s, approximately 6'3" with an average build wearing a black hooded jacket and black pants

Residential burglary

Ellicott City, 21042: 3600 block of Joycin Court, Dec. 17 11:10 a.m.

A resident reported that she observed a male suspect attempting to open her rear sliding glass door. The suspect then fled. No entry was gained.

SUSPECT: unknown race male wearing a blue hoodie, no further description

Theft from vehicle/vehicle break-in

Columbia, 21045: 6100 block of Old Dobbin Road, Dec. 17 6-7:10 a.m., various items

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